

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 208

Introduced by: Senators Sutton (Dan) and Dempster and Representative Heineman

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require certain insurers to offer high deductible health  
2 plans that meet the federal requirements for establishing health savings accounts.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 58-17 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 Any carrier of any in force individual health benefit plan issued in accordance with § 58-17-  
7 85 prior to August 1, 2003, for which rates are established pursuant to § 58-17-75, shall offer  
8 any person with such a plan a high deductible health plan that meets the requirements of Public  
9 Law 108-173, The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003,  
10 for establishing a health savings account.

